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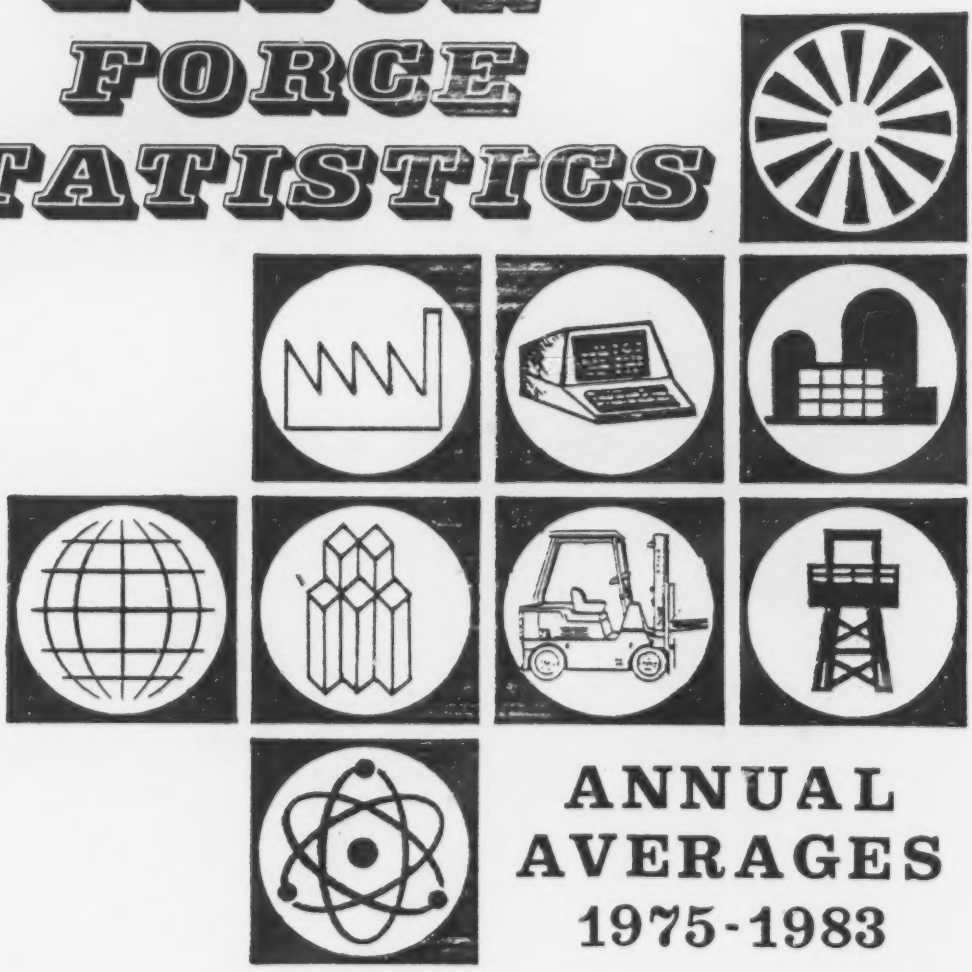

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INTRODUCTION

This publication was prepared by the Research and Analysis Section of the Employment Security Division of the Arkansas Department of Labor as one of its responsibilities to provide needed labor force statistics to the many agencies and organizations throughout the State that are involved in area analysis and economic development planning.

Estimates in this publication are based on revised procedures developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The purpose of these revised procedures is to make unemployment estimates more accurate by using more current data from the household survey and improved inputs from the state unemployment insurance programs. They are also designed to make estimates more comparable from State to State and to bring state and area estimates more closely into line with the national unemployment statistics. The effect of these changes has created a "break in series" for most areas, as many of the new inputs are not available for earlier periods.

Statistics in this publication supersede any other similar data previously published for 1975 through 1983 by this agency and are not comparable with any similar data published for years prior to 1975.

Labor area boundaries as designated in this publication have been defined by the United States Department of Labor, and all labor force statistics have been prepared using standard technical methodology developed and provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, United States Department of Labor. Area employment and unemployment estimates have been adjusted to be consistent with the independently estimated state totals.

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas. The map on page one indicates the four designated Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas in Arkansas during 1983. They are Fayetteville-Springdale, Fort Smith, Little Rock-North Little Rock and Pine Bluff. Also shown on the map are three counties, Crittenden, Little River, and Miller, which are part of the Memphis, Tennessee–Arkansas and Texarkana, Texas–Arkansas SMSA's, respectively.

Labor force data for the Memphis, Tennessee–Arkansas SMSA is prepared by the Tennessee Department of Employment Security and labor force data for the Texarkana, Texas–Arkansas SMSA is prepared by the Texas Employment Commission.

Data for these SMSA's can be obtained by contacting the respective state agencies at the following addresses:

Research & Statistics
Department of Employment Security
519 Cordell Hull State Office Building
Nashville, Tennessee 37219
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Economic Research & Analysis
Texas Employment Commission
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Austin, Texas 78701
Phone: 512-397-4540

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DEFINITIONS

Annual Average – The sum of the data for the week of reference in each month of the year divided by 12.

Week of Reference – The week which includes the 12th of the month.

Total Civilian Labor Force – Represents the number of persons, on a place-of-residence basis, who were employed, unemployed or involved in labor-management disputes. Members of the Armed Forces are excluded from the estimate of the civilian labor force.

Unemployment – An estimate of the average number of persons who, for the entire week of reference, did not work at all, were able to work and available for work, and (1) were looking for work, or (2) would have looked for work except that (a) they were waiting to return to a job from which they had been laid off, or (b) they were waiting to report to a new job.

Unemployment Rate – The average number of unemployed workers as a percentage of the average civilian labor force.

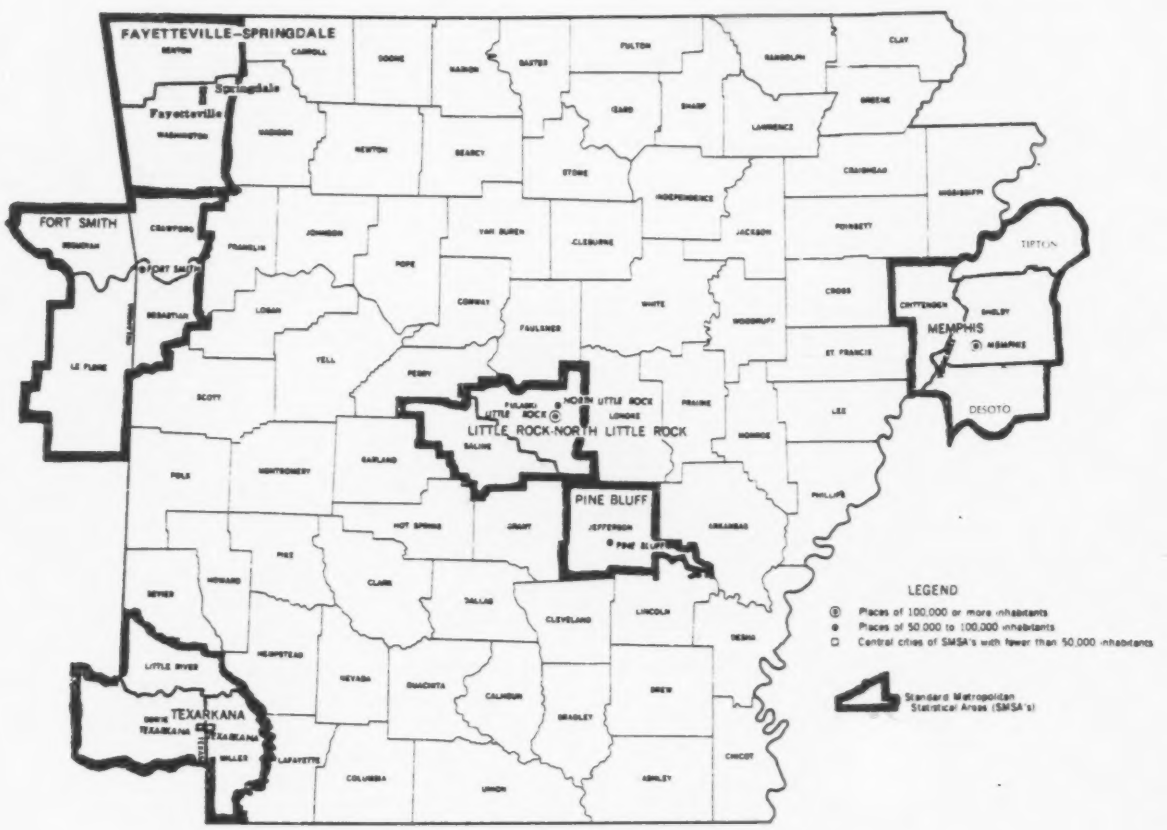
Employment – An estimate of the average number of persons, on a place-of-residence basis, who worked any time for pay or profit or worked 15 hours or more as an unpaid family worker during the week of reference. Also included are those who, although not working, had some job attachment and were not looking for work, and persons involved in labor-management disputes.

Agricultural Employment – An estimate of the average number of persons who worked on farms and received pay or profit during the reference week. Also included are unpaid farm family workers who worked 15 or more hours during the week.

Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers – An estimate of the average number of nonagricultural workers who were employed as domestics in private households, were self-employed, or worked as an unpaid worker in a family owned establishment.

Nonagricultural Wage and Salary Employment – The average number of full and part-time nonfarm workers who worked during or received pay for any part of the week of reference. This series is on a place-of-work basis.

COUNTIES, METROPOLITAN AREAS, AND SELECTED PLACES: ARKANSAS



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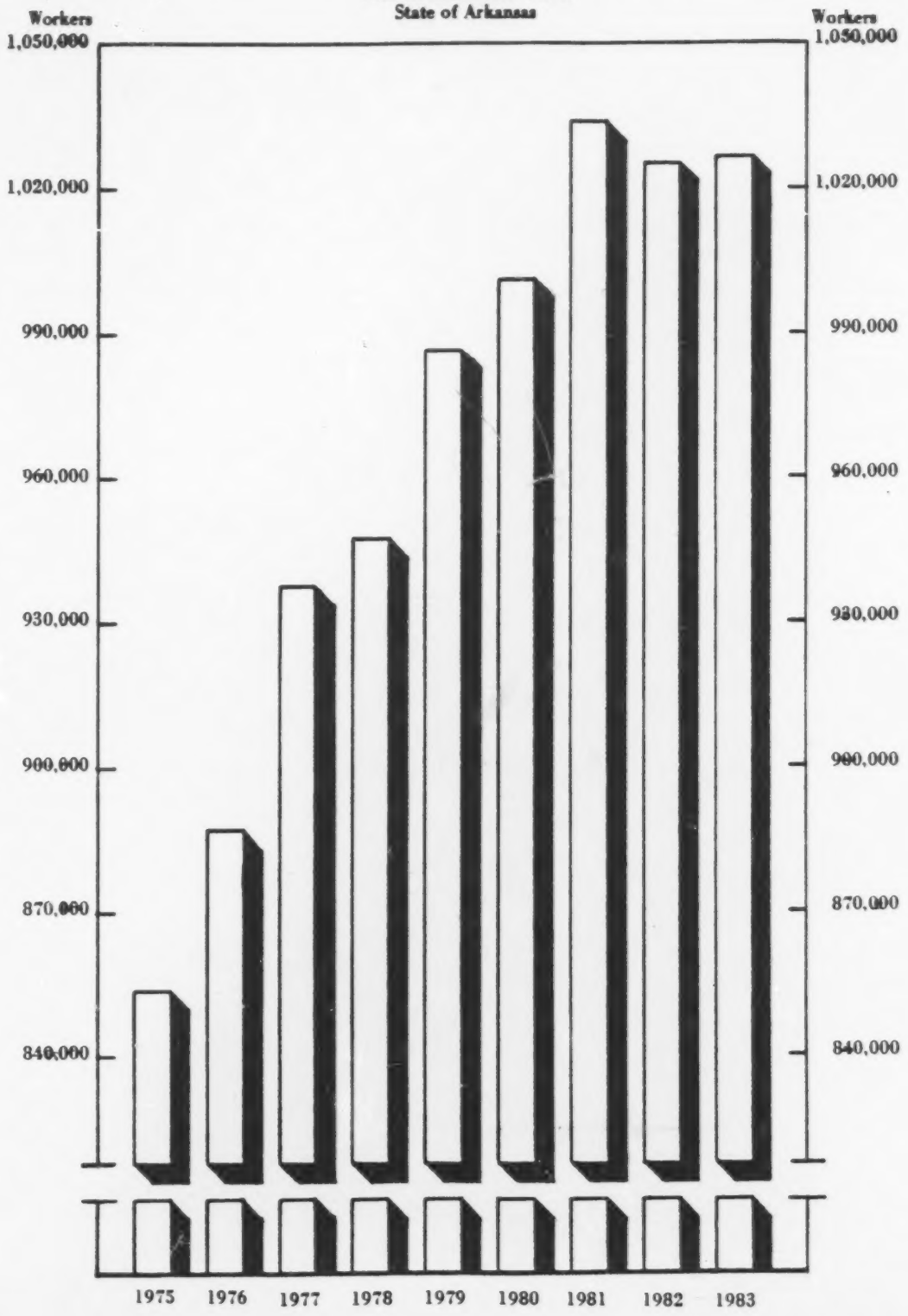
Total Civilian Labor Force
State of Arkansas



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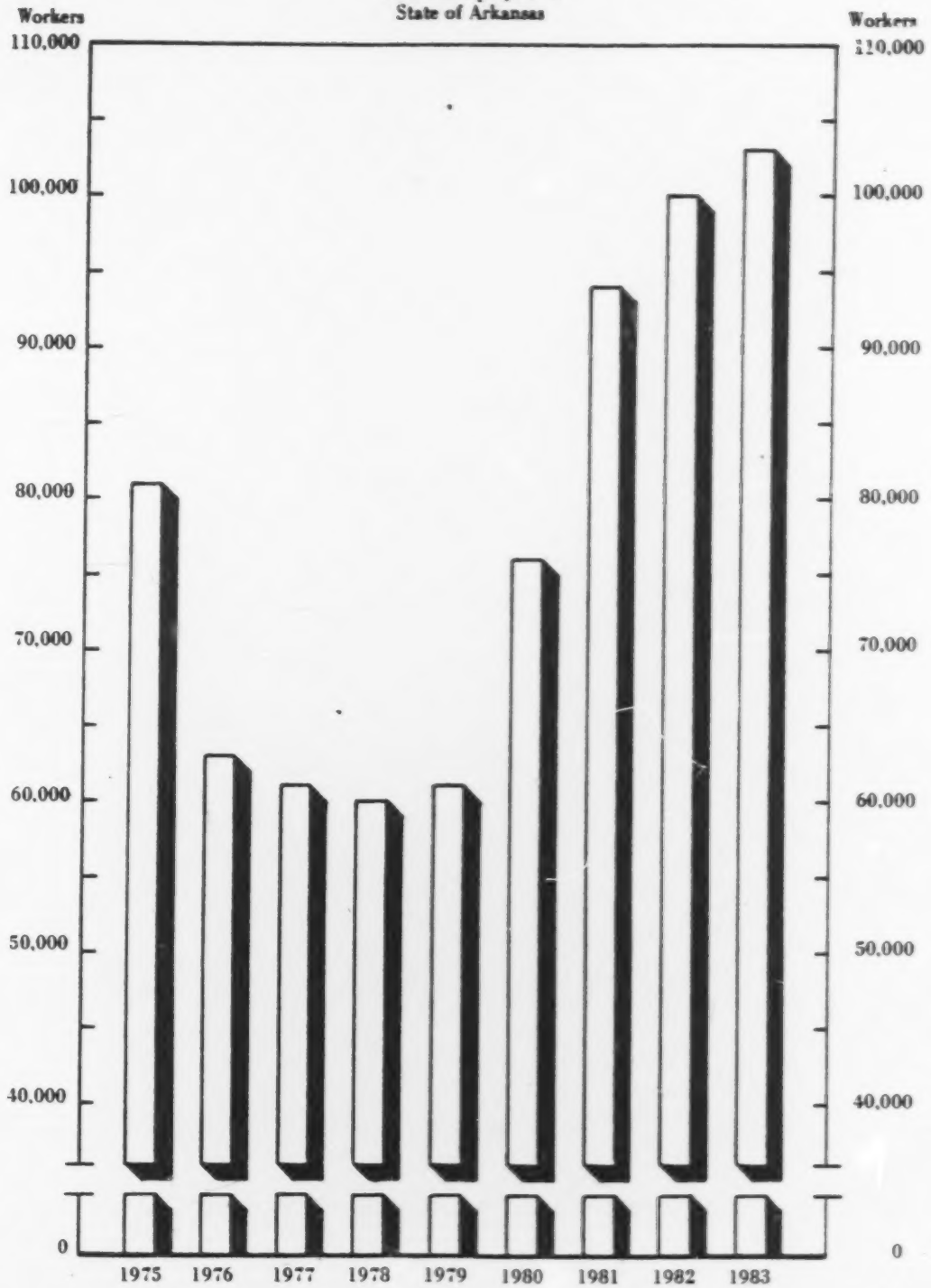

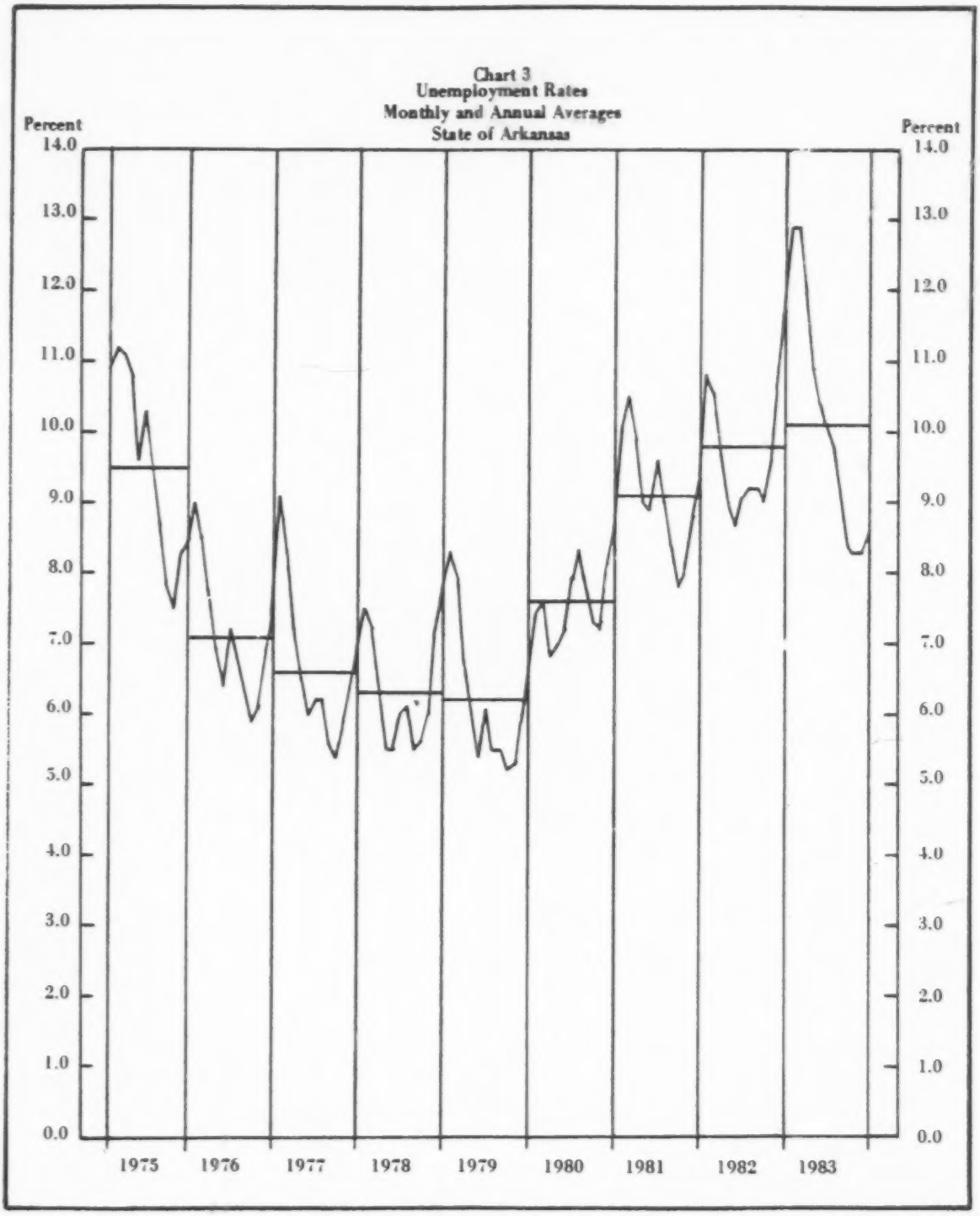
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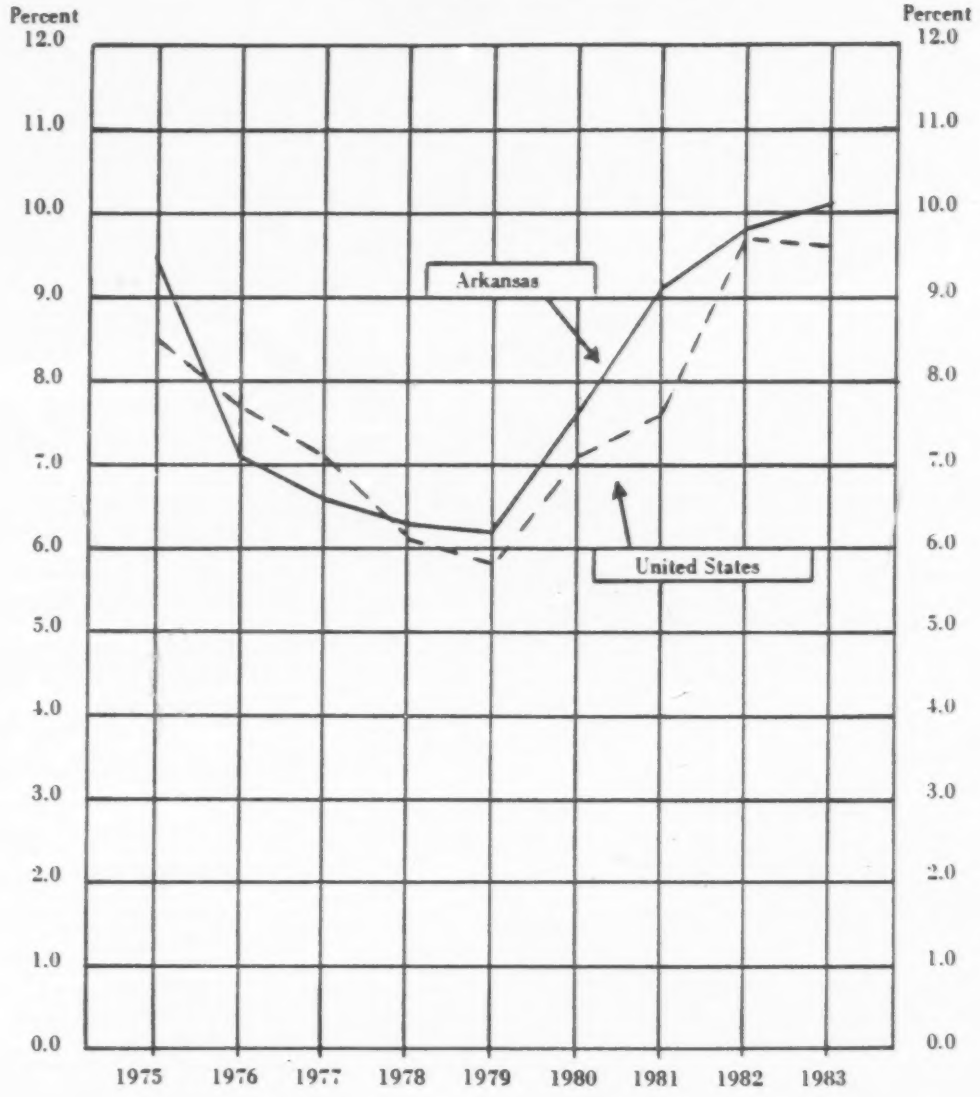

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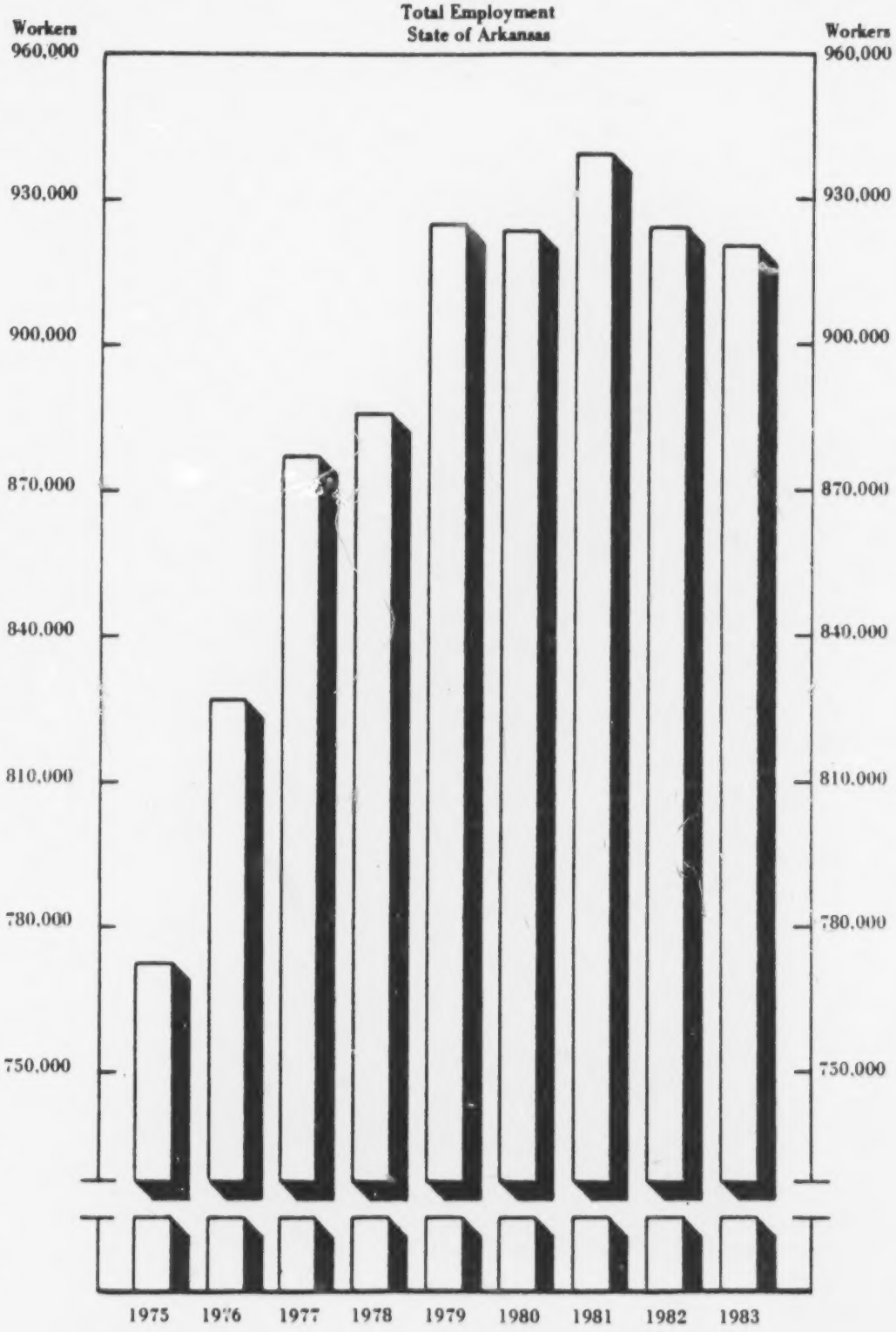

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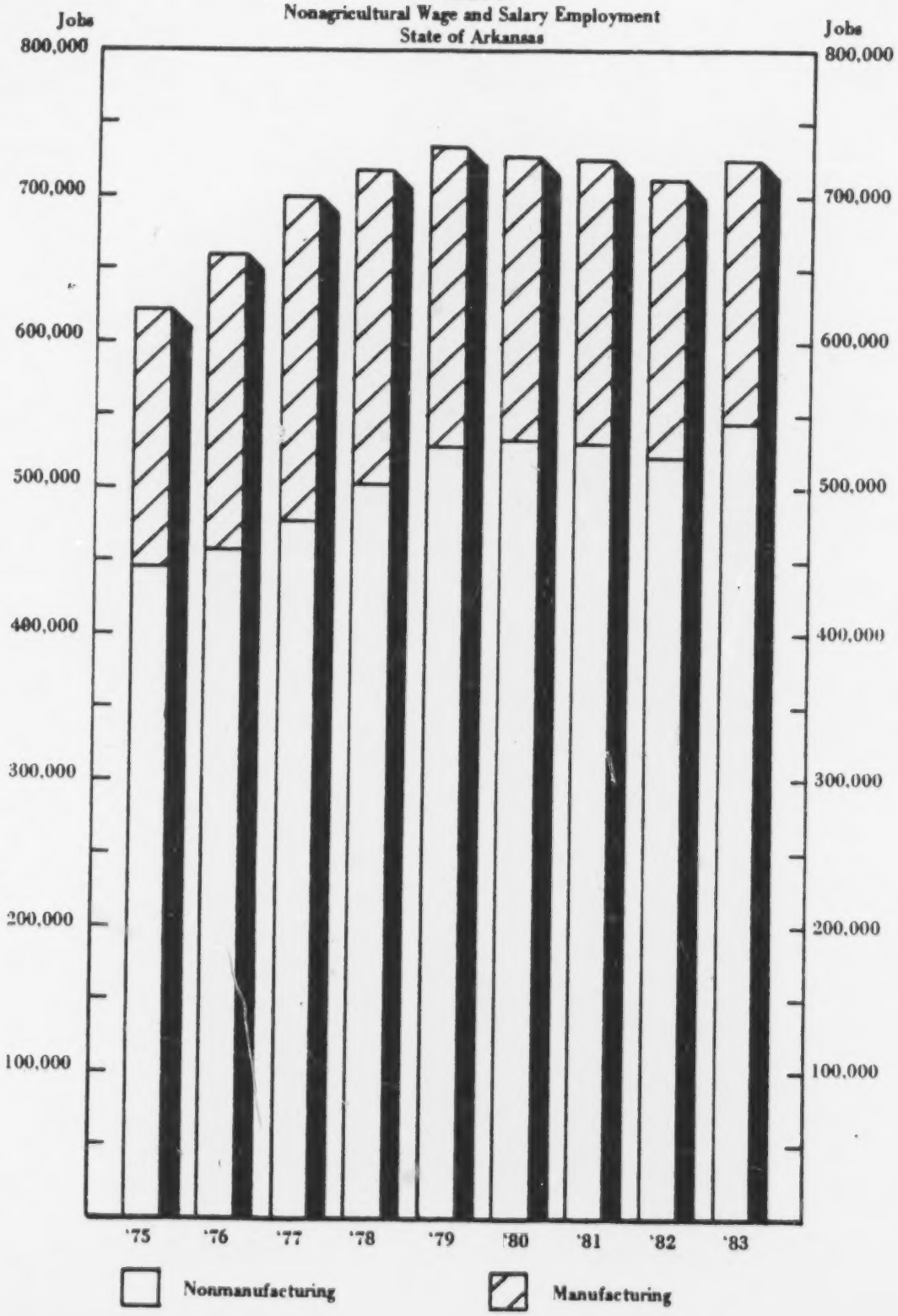

STATE OF ARKANSAS
(In Thousands)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	**852.2**	**890.0**	**938.0**	**946.0**	**987.0**	**1000.0**	**1033.0**	**1025.0**	**1026.0**
Unemployment	81.0	63.0	62.0	60.0	61.0	76.0	94.0	100.0	104.0
Unemployment Rate	9.5	7.1	6.6	6.3	6.2	7.6	9.1	9.8	10.1
Employment (1)	771.2	827.0	876.0	886.0	926.0	924.0	939.0	925.0	922.0
Agricultural Employment	65.6	64.3	64.4	67.5	66.6	65.6	64.6	63.6	62.6
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	105.0	108.6	115.6	120.1	120.3	117.0	116.0	120.4	127.8
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	623.8	660.0	695.6	732.7	749.4	742.3	740.1	720.1	740.0
Manufacturing	179.2	195.1	209.3	217.5	217.8	209.1	209.7	195.2	199.6
Nonmanufacturing	444.6	464.9	486.3	515.2	531.6	533.2	530.4	524.9	540.4

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Fayetteville-Springdale Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
(Benton and Washington Counties)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	62800	65800	70100	73050	76950	78350	82300	83050	84300
Unemployment	5350	3550	3500	3750	3450	4550	4850	5800	6000
Unemployment Rate	8.5	5.4	5.0	5.1	4.5	5.8	5.9	7.0	7.1
Employment (1)	57450	62250	66600	69300	73500	73800	77450	77250	78300
Agricultural Employment	5700	5600	5600	5900	5900	5900	5900	5900	5900
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	7000	7300	8050	8550	8700	8550	8800	9250	9900
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	49100	52600	57200	61750	64000	64050	66300	65300	67800
Manufacturing	14900	16250	17900	18700	19650	18950	20450	19300	19400
Nonmanufacturing	34200	36350	39300	43050	44350	45100	45850	46000	48400

Fort Smith Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
(Crawford and Sebastian Counties, Arkansas
and LeFlore and Sequoyah Counties, Oklahoma)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	73550	76150	82150	84500	86400	88050	92000	88700	91300
Unemployment	7350	5650	5600	5700	6450	8150	8000	9500	9750
Unemployment Rate	10.0	7.4	6.8	6.7	7.5	9.3	8.7	10.7	10.7
Employment (1)	66200	70500	76550	78800	79950	79900	84000	79200	81550
Agricultural Employment	2400	2400	2400	2400	2450	2450	2450	2450	2450
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	8250	8650	9350	9850	9600	9500	9700	9750	10400
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	55400	59600	63700	68250	68250	68400	70300	66200	68500
Manufacturing	18950	21500	23300	25200	23750	21650	22750	20300	21900
Nonmanufacturing	36450	38100	40400	43050	44500	46750	47550	45900	46600

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Little Rock-North Little Rock Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
(Pulaski and Saline Counties)
(In Thousands)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	164.0	170.9	176.6	181.6	189.7	192.0	197.8	198.1	198.7
Unemployment	11.6	9.0	8.1	9.0	8.2	10.4	14.5	15.1	15.9
Unemployment Rate	7.1	5.3	4.6	5.0	4.3	5.4	7.3	7.6	8.0
Employment (1)	152.4	161.9	168.5	172.6	181.5	181.6	183.3	183.0	182.8
Agricultural Employment	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	14.3	14.6	15.5	16.1	16.3	15.9	15.7	16.6	17.6
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	152.1	158.1	166.4	175.6	181.2	180.8	179.3	177.3	182.1
Manufacturing	27.4	28.5	30.6	32.0	31.9	30.7	29.5	26.9	25.8
Nonmanufacturing	124.7	129.6	135.8	143.6	149.3	150.1	149.8	150.4	156.3

Pine Bluff Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
(Jefferson County)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	32950	34050	35775	38075	40025	40150	40500	38550	38050
Unemployment	2825	2500	2150	2525	2375	2500	4050	4025	4000
Unemployment Rate	8.6	7.3	6.0	6.6	5.9	6.2	10.0	10.4	10.5
Employment (1)	30125	31550	33625	35550	37650	37650	36450	34525	34050
Agricultural Employment	1950	1925	1875	2025	2000	1950	1925	1900	1875
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	3550	3575	3800	4200	4250	4175	3950	3950	4125
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	26025	26775	28225	31600	32725	32750	31100	29100	29525
Manufacturing	5750	5725	6200	6375	6225	6175	6325	5625	5575
Nonmanufacturing	20275	21050	22025	25225	26500	26575	24775	23475	23950

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Camden Labor Area
(Calhoun and Ouachita Counties)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	13650	13925	14075	14025	14300	14500	15225	15450	16200
Unemployment	1675	1125	1025	950	1025	1300	1650	1575	1525
Unemployment Rate	12.3	8.1	7.3	6.8	7.2	9.0	10.8	10.2	9.4
Employment (1)	11975	12800	13050	13075	13275	13200	13575	13875	14675
Agricultural Employment	275	275	275	275	275	275	250	250	250
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1750	1775	1850	1900	1850	1775	1800	1950	2175
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	9650	10100	10450	10825	10775	10750	10800	10900	11800
Manufacturing	4150	4225	4275	4425	4275	4275	4300	4500	5150
Nonmanufacturing	5500	5875	6175	6400	6500	6475	6500	6400	6650

Morrilton Labor Area
(Conway and Perry Counties)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	9675	10075	10400	10225	11050	11325	11625	11575	11625
Unemployment	1075	775	750	725	700	850	1050	1625	1225
Unemployment Rate	11.1	7.7	7.2	7.1	6.3	7.5	9.0	14.0	10.5
Employment (1)	8600	9300	9650	9500	10350	10475	10575	9950	10400
Agricultural Employment	1000	975	950	1025	1000	1000	975	950	950
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1050	1075	1150	1175	1225	1225	1200	1175	1325
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	5375	5700	6050	6150	6550	6675	6600	6100	6575
Manufacturing	2425	2750	2750	2725	3025	3075	3000	2500	2800
Nonmanufacturing	2950	2950	3300	3425	3525	3600	3600	3600	3775

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Russellville Labor Area
(Pope and Yell Counties)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	21325	22150	23675	23325	23900	24525	26350	26775	26550
Unemployment	1725	1750	1875	1575	1750	1725	2250	2675	2475
Unemployment Rate	8.1	7.9	7.9	6.8	7.3	7.0	8.5	10.0	9.3
Employment (1)	19600	20400	21800	21750	22150	22800	24100	24100	24075
Agricultural Employment	2350	2275	2275	2400	2375	2325	2300	2250	2225
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	2675	2675	2975	3000	2925	2975	3075	3250	3450
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	14250	14500	15950	16400	16250	16850	17600	17400	17925
Manufacturing	4725	4675	4875	4925	4825	5100	5425	5625	5850
Nonmanufacturing	9525	9825	11075	11475	11425	11750	12175	11775	12075

Arkansas County
(Stuttgart Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	11025	11825	12075	11925	12200	11950	12350	12200	11775
Unemployment	450	500	750	500	625	500	825	975	1175
Unemployment Rate	4.1	4.2	6.2	4.2	5.1	4.2	6.7	8.0	10.0
Employment (1)	10575	11325	11325	11425	11575	11450	11525	11225	10600
Agricultural Employment	2175	2100	2100	2175	2150	2025	2075	2050	2025
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1800	1875	1925	1975	1925	1875	1825	1875	1850
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	7325	7800	7925	8300	8225	8125	8025	7675	7400
Manufacturing	2425	2650	2775	2925	2750	2900	2800	2600	2425
Nonmanufacturing	4900	5150	5150	5375	5475	5225	5225	5075	4975

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Ashley County
(Crossett Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	9975	10125	10450	10725	10375	10575	11500	10725	10425
Unemployment	750	650	675	700	750	1150	925	1200	1225
Unemployment Rate	7.5	6.4	6.5	6.5	7.2	10.9	8.0	11.2	11.8
Employment (1)	9225	9475	9775	10025	9625	9425	10575	9525	9200
Agricultural Employment	900	875	875	900	900	900	875	850	825
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1200	1175	1250	1300	1200	1150	1275	1200	1225
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	8000	8075	8425	8975	8350	8150	9100	8000	7975
Manufacturing	4500	4575	4550	4975	4525	4150	4250	4100	4250
Nonmanufacturing	3500	3500	3875	4000	3825	4000	4850	3900	3725

Baxter County
(Mountain Home Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	8125	9675	9675	9300	9475	9900	9950	9875	10425
Unemployment	350	300	375	400	450	475	650	775	750
Unemployment Rate	4.3	3.1	3.9	4.3	4.7	4.8	6.5	7.8	7.2
Employment (1)	7775	9375	9300	8900	9025	9425	9300	9100	9675
Agricultural Employment	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1850	2150	2150	2100	2050	2100	2025	2075	2350
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	6575	7825	7800	7725	7650	8025	7775	7450	8175
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.
* Data not publishable because of the possibility of disclosure.

Boone County
(Harrison Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	9550	10075	10625	11125	11725	11825	12275	12825	12975
Unemployment	725	500	450	525	450	650	800	800	900
Unemployment Rate	7.6	5.0	4.2	4.7	3.8	5.5	6.5	6.2	6.9
Employment (1)	8825	9575	10175	10600	11275	11175	11475	12025	12075
Agricultural Employment	600	575	575	625	600	600	575	575	575
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1500	1575	1700	1825	1875	1800	1825	2000	2150
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	7025	7525	8075	8725	9125	9000	9125	9425	9750
Manufacturing	1925	2100	2275	2300	2375	2425	2525	2400	2550
Nonmanufacturing	5100	5425	5800	6425	6750	6575	6600	7025	7200

Bradley County
(Warren Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4875	4950	5450	5400	5275	5350	5400	5200	4975
Unemployment	675	475	375	325	375	450	575	675	500
Unemployment Rate	13.8	9.6	6.9	6.0	7.1	8.4	10.6	13.0	10.1
Employment (1)	4200	4475	5075	5075	4900	4900	4825	4525	4475
Agricultural Employment	200	175	175	200	200	200	200	175	175
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	650	650	775	800	725	725	700	675	725
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3475	3625	4175	4350	4075	4075	3975	3675	3750
Manufacturing	1575	1650	1875	1975	1775	1850	1875	1575	1650
Nonmanufacturing	1900	1975	2300	2375	2300	2225	2100	2100	2100

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(2) Place-of-work basis.

Carroll County
(Berryville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6075	6500	6875	6875	7275	7575	7900	8450	8850
Unemployment	500	400	425	375	475	625	650	650	750
Unemployment Rate	8.2	6.2	6.2	5.5	6.5	8.3	8.2	7.7	8.5
Employment (1)	5575	6100	6450	6500	6800	6950	7250	7800	8100
Agricultural Employment	925	900	900	950	925	925	850	825	800
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1175	1250	1350	1400	1400	1425	1575	1825	2000
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3225	3525	3800	3975	4075	4175	4250	4550	4875
Manufacturing	1175	1350	1350	1425	1400	1375	1400	1550	1700
Nonmanufacturing	2050	2175	2450	2550	2675	2800	2850	3000	3175

Chicot County
(Dermott Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	5950	5900	6325	6525	6900	6850	7000	7025	6875
Unemployment	800	500	575	500	550	625	725	825	1150
Unemployment Rate	13.4	8.5	9.1	7.7	8.0	9.1	10.4	11.7	16.7
Employment (1)	5150	5400	5750	6025	6350	6225	6275	6200	5725
Agricultural Employment	1275	1250	1250	1300	1300	1275	1275	1250	1225
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	875	900	1000	1075	1100	1050	1050	1075	1050
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3875	3000	3300	3600	3775	3700	3675	3550	3325
Manufacturing	525	625	*	*	*	900	875	800	700
Nonmanufacturing	2350	2375	*	*	*	2800	2800	2750	2625

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(2) Place-of-work basis.
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Clark County
(Arkadelphia Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	7650	9300	9625	9600	9650	10250	10500	10175	10075
Unemployment	850	725	650	675	500	775	1050	825	800
Unemployment Rate	11.1	7.8	6.8	7.0	5.2	7.6	10.0	8.1	7.9
Employment (1)	6800	8575	8975	8925	9150	9475	9450	9350	9275
Agricultural Employment	350	325	325	350	350	325	325	325	325
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1050	1100	1175	1200	1125	1200	1150	1200	1300
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	6350	6850	7250	7450	7450	7750	7600	7400	7675
Manufacturing	1825	1950	2175	2325	2250	2325	2200	2125	2175
Nonmanufacturing	4525	4900	5075	5125	5200	5425	5400	5275	5500

Clay County
(Piggott Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	8850	7850	8350	8550	9100	8900	8975	8900	8925
Unemployment	1050	625	725	575	725	900	1050	1125	1100
Unemployment Rate	11.9	8.0	8.7	6.7	8.0	10.1	11.7	12.6	12.3
Employment (1)	7800	7225	7625	7975	8375	8000	7925	7775	7825
Agricultural Employment	1300	1275	1275	1350	1325	1300	1300	1275	1250
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1075	1100	1225	1300	1325	1225	1175	1225	1300
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3650	3825	4225	4575	4750	4500	4350	4225	4375
Manufacturing	1250	1400	1525	1700	1800	1625	1600	1475	1675
Nonmanufacturing	2400	2425	2700	2875	2950	2875	2750	2750	2700

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Cleburne County
(Heber Springs Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4475	4850	5250	5400	6150	6100	6425	6525	6800
Unemployment	575	475	500	450	450	625	750	825	850
Unemployment Rate	12.8	9.8	9.5	8.3	7.3	10.2	11.7	12.6	12.5
Employment (1)	3900	4375	4750	4950	5700	5475	5675	5700	5950
Agricultural Employment	375	350	350	375	375	375	350	350	350
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	700	775	850	900	1025	950	950	1025	1125
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2300	2575	2850	3075	3500	3350	3400	3375	3625
Manufacturing	475	600	625	750	1025	900	1050	925	975
Nonmanufacturing	1825	1975	2225	2325	2475	2450	2350	2450	2650

Cleveland County
(Rison Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	1850	1900	1650	1850	1925	2075	2025	1850	1775
Unemployment	225	150	175	125	150	225	250	325	300
Unemployment Rate	12.2	7.9	10.6	6.8	7.8	10.8	12.3	17.6	16.9
Employment (1)	1625	1750	1475	1725	1775	1850	1775	1525	1475
Agricultural Employment	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	200	200	175	200	200	200	200	175	175
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	700	725	650	775	775	800	750	675	650
Manufacturing	250	275	200	250	200	200	200	150	150
Nonmanufacturing	450	450	450	525	575	600	550	525	500

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Columbia County
(Magnolia Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	12000	12275	12600	12825	12800	12975	13650	13850	13775
Unemployment	925	700	750	675	725	775	925	1050	1275
Unemployment Rate	7.7	5.7	6.0	5.3	5.7	6.0	6.8	7.6	9.3
Employment (1)	11075	11575	11850	12150	12075	12200	12725	12800	12500
Agricultural Employment	375	375	350	375	375	375	375	375	350
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1900	1900	1975	2075	1975	1975	2000	2125	2200
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	7475	7700	7950	8450	8225	8325	8525	8475	8475
Manufacturing	2525	2650	2700	2850	2550	2475	2525	2500	2450
Nonmanufacturing	4950	5050	5250	5600	5675	5850	6000	5975	6025

Craighead County
(Jonesboro Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	25725	27475	29625	30075	30900	31025	31725	31550	31500
Unemployment	2225	1700	1725	1575	1600	2525	3025	2900	2825
Unemployment Rate	8.6	6.2	5.8	5.2	5.2	8.1	9.5	9.2	9.0
Employment (1)	23500	25775	27900	28500	29300	28500	28700	28650	28675
Agricultural Employment	2025	1975	1950	2025	2025	2000	1950	1925	1900
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	3225	3425	3800	3950	3900	3725	3650	3850	4100
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	18600	20200	22175	23375	23600	22975	22625	22325	23000
Manufacturing	5600	6300	6375	6875	7000	6550	6450	5875	5850
Nonmanufacturing	13000	13900	15800	16500	16600	16425	16175	16450	17150

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(2) Place-of-work basis.

Crittenden County
(Part of Memphis Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	18700	19375	19750	19825	24525	23775	24400	24350	25775
Unemployment	2000	1900	1875	1800	1600	2025	2325	2675	3075
Unemployment Rate	10.7	9.8	9.5	9.1	6.5	8.5	9.5	11.0	11.9
Employment (1)	16700	17475	17875	18025	22925	21750	22075	21675	22700
Agricultural Employment									
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	Data for this segment of the labor force is not compiled separately for Crittenden County. Crittenden County is a part of the Memphis SMSA and is under the statistical jurisdiction of the Tennessee Department of Employment Security. Data for the SMSA can be obtained by contacting that Agency at the address shown on page ii.								
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)									
Manufacturing									
Nonmanufacturing									

Cross County
(Wynne Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	7825	8500	9250	9350	9525	9125	9175	8925	8575
Unemployment	625	475	575	575	650	725	825	925	1125
Unemployment Rate	8.0	5.6	6.2	6.1	6.8	7.9	9.0	10.4	13.1
Employment (1)	7200	8025	8675	8775	8875	8400	8350	8000	7450
Agricultural Employment	1350	1325	1325	1400	1375	1350	1350	1325	1300
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	975	1050	1200	1225	1175	1100	1050	1075	1050
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4175	4625	5175	5400	5350	5025	4900	4625	4400
Manufacturing	1450	*	2000	*	*	*	*	*	1475
Nonmanufacturing	2725	*	3175	*	*	*	*	*	2925

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Dallas County
(Fordyce Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3825	4000	4150	4125	4175	4075	4125	4075	4050
Unemployment	350	225	275	250	275	450	375	425	350
Unemployment Rate	9.2	5.6	6.6	6.1	6.6	11.0	9.1	10.4	8.6
Employment (1)	3475	3775	3875	3875	3900	3625	3750	3650	3700
Agricultural Employment	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	475	500	525	525	525	475	475	500	525
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2975	3200	3300	3450	3375	3150	3200	3075	3200
Manufacturing	1450	1550	1600	1700	1675	1475	1600	1475	1525
Nonmanufacturing	1525	1650	1700	1750	1700	1675	1600	1600	1675

Desha County
(McGehee Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	7050	7400	8075	7575	7675	7850	8125	7825	8000
Unemployment	850	800	675	575	525	625	800	825	1050
Unemployment Rate	12.1	10.8	8.4	7.6	6.8	8.0	9.8	10.5	13.1
Employment (1)	6200	6600	7400	7000	7150	7225	7325	7000	6950
Agricultural Employment	1350	1325	1325	1350	1375	1350	1325	1325	1300
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	950	975	1150	1110	1075	1075	1050	1050	1125
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4225	4475	5225	5075	5050	5150	5100	4775	4875
Manufacturing	1250	1225	1325	1525	1525	1525	1575	1425	1400
Nonmanufacturing	2975	3250	3900	3550	3525	3625	3525	3350	3475

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Drew County
(Monticello Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	7300	7425	7800	7925	8200	8050	8225	8150	7775
Unemployment	875	500	475	550	550	650	825	950	925
Unemployment Rate	12.0	6.7	6.1	6.9	6.7	8.1	10.0	11.7	11.9
Employment (1)	6425	6925	7325	7375	7650	7400	7400	7200	6850
Agricultural Employment	450	425	425	450	450	450	425	425	425
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	750	775	850	875	875	825	800	825	825
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4800	5100	5500	5725	5800	5625	5525	5300	5200
Manufacturing	2175	2375	2500	2600	2625	2350	2350	2225	2100
Nonmanufacturing	2625	2725	3000	3125	3175	3275	3175	3075	3100

Faulkner County
(Conway Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	17125	16975	18550	19250	20300	21550	22000	21950	22550
Unemployment	1750	1325	1650	1250	1300	2225	2225	2100	2175
Unemployment Rate	10.2	7.8	8.9	6.5	6.4	10.3	10.1	9.6	9.6
Employment (1)	15375	15650	16900	18000	19000	19325	19775	19850	20375
Agricultural Employment	500	475	475	500	500	500	475	475	475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1625	1650	1825	1975	2025	2000	2000	2125	2325
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	11100	11525	12525	13850	14525	14575	14675	14575	15350
Manufacturing	3550	3925	4250	4825	5225	4675	4750	4650	5125
Nonmanufacturing	7550	7600	8275	9025	9300	9900	9925	9925	10225

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Franklin County
(Ozark Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	5150	5500	5700	5500	5850	6425	6725	6775	6350
Unemployment	525	525	500	500	525	500	700	725	700
Unemployment Rate	10.2	9.5	8.8	9.1	9.0	7.8	10.4	10.7	11.0
Employment (1)	4625	4975	5200	5000	5325	5925	6025	6050	5650
Agricultural Employment	400	400	400	425	400	400	400	400	375
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	625	650	700	675	700	775	750	800	800
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2625	2775	2975	2950	3075	3425	3425	3400	3275
Manufacturing	825	850	875	800	875	1050	1100	1150	1050
Nonmanufacturing	1800	1925	2100	2150	2200	2375	2325	2250	2225

Fulton County
(Salem Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2725	2900	2950	2850	2900	2875	2875	2750	2825
Unemployment	225	150	225	225	200	250	350	250	350
Unemployment Rate	8.3	5.2	7.6	7.9	6.9	8.7	12.2	9.1	12.4
Employment (1)	2500	2750	2725	2625	2700	2625	2525	2500	2475
Agricultural Employment	300	300	275	300	300	300	300	300	275
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	400	425	425	425	400	400	375	375	400
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1450	1575	1600	1600	1600	1550	1475	1425	1450
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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(2) Place-of-work basis.
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Garland County
(Hot Springs Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	25350	26450	28000	27900	28800	28650	30325	30950	30850
Unemployment	3050	2100	1825	1850	1725	2100	2975	3125	3200
Unemployment Rate	12.0	7.9	6.5	6.6	6.0	7.3	9.8	10.1	10.4
Employment (1)	22300	24350	26175	26050	27075	26550	27350	27825	27650
Agricultural Employment	625	600	600	625	625	625	600	600	600
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	3775	3975	4350	4425	4400	4250	4300	4600	4850
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	18925	20075	22025	22650	23100	22650	22800	22925	23400
Manufacturing	3750	3950	4675	4600	4450	4200	4000	3825	3800
Nonmanufacturing	15175	16125	17350	18050	18650	18450	18800	19100	19600

Grant County
(Sheridan Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4150	4350	4475	4375	4300	4275	4525	4400	4250
Unemployment	400	275	300	300	275	350	500	525	575
Unemployment Rate	9.6	6.3	6.7	6.9	6.4	8.2	11.0	11.9	13.5
Employment (1)	3750	4075	4175	4075	4025	3925	4025	3875	3675
Agricultural Employment	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	525	525	525	575	525	525	525	525	525
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2250	2350	2475	2500	2425	2375	2375	2275	2225
Manufacturing	1175	1200	1200	1175	1075	1025	975	850	825
Nonmanufacturing	1075	1150	1275	1325	1350	1350	1400	1425	1400

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Greene County
(Paragould Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	11925	12875	13525	13600	13725	13800	14100	14050	13775
Unemployment	1475	900	975	950	900	1475	1500	1550	1350
Unemployment Rate	12.4	7.0	7.2	7.0	6.6	10.7	10.6	11.0	9.8
Employment (1)	10450	11975	12550	12650	12825	12325	12600	12500	12425
Agricultural Employment	1175	1150	1150	1200	1200	1175	1150	1150	1125
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1625	1800	1950	2000	1950	1825	1825	1900	2025
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	7250	8250	8800	9175	9100	8725	8775	8575	8775
Manufacturing	3425	4200	4300	4375	4150	3950	4150	4000	4125
Nonmanufacturing	3825	4050	4500	4800	4950	4775	4625	4575	4650

Hempstead County
(Hope Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	9150	9575	10100	10375	10975	10950	11175	10975	10600
Unemployment	625	550	575	525	475	625	825	825	850
Unemployment Rate	6.8	5.7	5.7	5.1	4.3	5.7	7.4	7.5	8.0
Employment (1)	8525	9025	9525	9850	10500	10325	10350	10150	9750
Agricultural Employment	1250	1225	1200	1275	1250	1250	1225	1200	1175
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	900	900	1000	1050	1075	1025	1025	1050	1075
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	5325	5550	6000	6425	6725	6600	6525	6275	6200
Manufacturing	1975	2075	2275	2575	2675	2475	2475	2325	2350
Nonmanufacturing	3350	3475	3725	3850	4050	4125	4050	3950	3850

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Hot Spring County
(Malvern Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	9125	9575	10275	10375	11450	11475	11175	10350	10525
Unemployment	1875	1050	750	750	750	1150	1650	1875	1750
Unemployment Rate	20.5	11.0	7.3	7.2	6.6	10.0	14.8	18.1	16.6
Employment (1)	7250	8525	9525	9625	10700	10325	9525	8475	8775
Agricultural Employment	325	325	325	325	350	325	325	300	300
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	975	1100	1275	1325	1400	1325	1200	1125	1225
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4675	5325	6100	6425	6925	6700	6050	5350	5700
Manufacturing	1475	2100	2500	2600	2725	2500	2275	1700	1850
Nonmanufacturing	3200	3225	3600	3825	4200	4200	3775	3650	3850

Howard County
(Nashville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6100	6250	6700	6975	7300	7500	7575	7675	8025
Unemployment	350	325	275	275	225	325	525	450	475
Unemployment Rate	5.7	5.2	4.1	3.9	3.1	4.3	6.9	5.9	5.9
Employment (1)	5750	5925	6425	6700	7075	7175	7050	7225	7550
Agricultural Employment	850	825	825	875	875	850	850	825	800
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	825	825	925	1000	1000	1000	950	1050	1150
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4650	4450	5225	5650	5900	5950	5725	5825	6300
Manufacturing	2650	2450	2975	3200	3350	3525	3350	3425	3950
Nonmanufacturing	2000	2000	2250	2450	2550	2425	2375	2350	2350

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Independence County
(Batesville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	10025	11725	12825	13300	14250	15475	16350	16500	15850
Unemployment	1050	725	700	725	675	1100	1600	1575	1525
Unemployment Rate	10.5	6.2	5.5	5.5	4.7	7.1	9.8	9.5	9.6
Employment (1)	8975	11000	12125	12575	13575	14375	14750	14925	14325
Agricultural Employment	1000	1000	975	1050	1025	1000	1000	975	975
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1275	1525	1725	1825	1900	2000	2000	2125	2175
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	6875	8475	9525	10225	10875	11550	11675	11675	11500
Manufacturing	2700	3350	4025	4125	4250	4225	4075	3875	4000
Nonmanufacturing	4175	5125	5500	6100	6625	7325	7600	7800	7500

Izard County
(Melbourne Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3750	3800	3750	3725	3975	4300	4325	4225	4275
Unemployment	275	200	225	200	200	225	350	350	375
Unemployment Rate	7.3	5.3	6.0	5.4	5.0	5.2	8.1	8.3	8.8
Employment (1)	3475	3600	3525	3525	3775	4075	3975	3875	3900
Agricultural Employment	450	425	425	450	450	450	425	425	425
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	725	725	725	750	775	825	800	800	850
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1550	1575	1575	1625	1725	1875	1800	1725	1750
Manufacturing	425	425	375	350	400	500	500	450	450
Nonmanufacturing	1125	1150	1200	1275	1325	1375	1300	1275	1300

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(2) Place-of-work basis.

Jackson County
(Newport Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	8450	8650	8975	9025	9300	9325	9350	9425	9525
Unemployment	1025	650	700	750	750	1175	1350	1500	1475
Unemployment Rate	12.1	7.5	7.8	8.3	8.1	12.6	14.4	15.9	15.5
Employment (1)	7425	8000	8275	8275	8550	8150	8000	7925	8050
Agricultural Employment	1425	1400	1275	1475	1450	1425	1400	1375	1350
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1175	1225	1300	1350	1325	1225	1175	1225	1325
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	4850	5225	5525	5775	5775	5500	5275	5150	5425
Manufacturing	1325	1625	1700	1800	1950	1625	1525	1400	1525
Nonmanufacturing	3525	3600	3825	3975	3825	3875	3750	3750	3900

Johnson County
(Clarksville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6350	6700	7575	7900	7725	7775	8300	8450	8525
Unemployment	650	500	500	575	525	550	625	800	725
Unemployment Rate	10.1	9.5	6.6	7.3	6.8	7.1	7.5	9.5	8.5
Employment (1)	5700	6200	7075	7325	7200	7225	7675	7650	7800
Agricultural Employment	500	475	475	500	500	500	475	475	475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	875	925	1075	1150	1075	1050	1100	1150	1275
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3500	3750	4325	4675	4525	4550	4750	4675	4925
Manufacturing	1675	1800	2150	2375	2150	2125	2275	2200	2325
Nonmanufacturing	1825	1950	2175	2300	2375	2425	2475	2475	2600

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Lafayette County
(Stamps Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3550	3425	3750	3850	3700	3650	3750	3550	3550
Unemployment	350	200	225	225	325	250	300	300	375
Unemployment Rate	9.9	5.8	6.0	5.8	8.8	6.8	8.0	8.5	10.6
Employment (1)	3200	3225	3525	3625	3375	3400	3450	3250	3175
Agricultural Employment	550	525	525	550	550	550	575	525	525
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	500	500	550	575	525	500	500	500	525
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1975	1975	2200	2325	2100	2100	2125	1950	1975
Manufacturing	575	625	750	775	550	550	675	575	550
Nonmanufacturing	1400	1350	1450	1550	1550	1550	1450	1375	1425

Lawrence County
(Walnut Ridge Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6850	7350	7525	7525	7850	8075	8275	8250	7875
Unemployment	1025	775	800	625	700	925	1150	1200	1175
Unemployment Rate	15.0	10.5	10.6	8.3	8.9	11.5	13.9	14.5	14.9
Employment (1)	5825	6575	6725	6900	7150	7150	7125	7050	6700
Agricultural Employment	1050	1025	1000	1050	1050	1025	1025	1000	1000
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	925	1000	1075	1125	1125	1100	1075	1125	1125
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3150	3525	3725	3950	4025	4050	4000	3875	3750
Manufacturing	875	1175	1175	1350	1325	1350	1325	1300	1250
Nonmanufacturing	2275	2350	2550	2600	2700	2700	2675	2575	2500

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Lee County
(Marianna Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4900	4925	5125	4875	5225	5000	5050	4950	5075
Unemployment	550	550	525	450	700	675	750	850	1200
Unemployment Rate	11.2	11.2	10.2	9.2	13.4	13.5	14.9	17.2	23.6
Employment (1)	4350	4375	4600	4425	4525	4325	4300	4100	3875
Agricultural Employment	1200	1175	1175	1250	1225	1200	1200	1175	1150
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	525	525	575	550	550	500	475	475	475
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2400	2375	2575	2525	2550	2400	2325	2175	2100
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	325	350	350	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	2075	1975	1825	*

Lincoln County
(Star City Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3600	3575	3825	3825	3775	3925	3750	4050	4025
Unemployment	450	300	300	350	275	275	425	475	500
Unemployment Rate	12.5	8.4	7.8	9.2	7.3	7.0	11.3	11.7	12.4
Employment (1)	3150	3275	3525	3475	3500	3650	3325	3575	3525
Agricultural Employment	900	875	875	900	900	900	875	850	850
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	325	325	350	375	375	375	375	375	400
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1600	1650	1925	1925	1875	2000	2000	1900	1975
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Little River County
(Part of Texarkana Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4450	4500	4900	4800	5100	5550	5700	5625	5625
Unemployment	575	525	325	375	350	575	600	475	500
Unemployment Rate	12.9	11.7	6.6	7.8	6.9	10.4	10.5	8.4	8.9
Employment (1)	3875	3975	4575	4425	4750	4975	5100	5150	5125
Agricultural Employment									
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	Data for this segment of the labor force is not compiled, separately, for Little River County. Little River County is a part of the Texarkana SMSA and is under the statistical jurisdiction of the Texas Employment Commission. Data for the SMSA can be obtained by contacting that Agency at the address shown on page ii.								
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)									
Manufacturing									
Nonmanufacturing									

Logan County
(Paris Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6500	6825	7000	6950	7200	7275	7525	7525	7300
Unemployment	550	525	550	450	600	625	800	850	900
Unemployment Rate	8.4	7.7	7.9	6.5	8.3	8.6	10.6	11.3	12.3
Employment (1)	6000	6300	6450	6500	6600	6650	6725	6675	6400
Agricultural Employment	650	625	625	650	650	650	625	625	600
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	850	850	925	925	925	900	900	950	950
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3575	3725	3900	4050	4050	4075	4075	3975	3925
Manufacturing	1525	1600	1500	1575	1450	1400	1375	1300	1275
Nonmanufacturing	2050	2125	2400	2475	2600	2675	2700	2675	2650

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Lonoke County
(England Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	13625	14800	15625	15300	15375	15650	16425	16375	15950
Unemployment	900	675	725	800	700	800	1100	1275	1275
Unemployment Rate	6.6	4.6	4.6	5.2	4.6	5.1	6.7	7.8	8.0
Employment (1)	12725	14125	14900	14500	14675	14850	15325	15100	14675
Agricultura. Employment	2075	2025	2000	2125	2075	2050	2025	2000	1975
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1725	1875	2050	2025	1975	1975	2000	2075	2125
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	5100	5600	6100	6125	6075	6200	6300	6125	6100
Manufacturing	2100	2425	2500	2125	2100	2200	2175	2050	2000
Nonmanufacturing	3000	3175	3600	4000	3975	4000	4125	4075	4100

Madison County
(Huntsville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4400	4575	4725	4675	5475	5750	6025	6075	5975
Unemployment	425	300	400	375	300	375	425	525	600
Unemployment Rate	9.7	6.6	8.5	8.0	5.5	6.5	7.1	8.6	10.0
Employment (1)	3975	4275	4325	4300	5175	5375	5600	5550	5375
Agricultural Employment	1050	1025	1000	1075	1050	1050	1025	1000	1000
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	450	475	500	500	600	625	625	650	675
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1125	1200	1275	1300	1550	1625	1675	1625	1625
Manufacturing	300	375	325	300	550	575	600	550	525
Nonmanufacturing	825	825	950	1000	1000	1050	1075	1075	1100

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Marion County
(Yellville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3575	4275	4675	4850	5075	5175	6225	5925	6350
Unemployment	175	150	200	150	200	250	325	350	400
Unemployment Rate	4.9	3.5	4.3	3.1	3.9	4.8	5.2	5.9	6.3
Employment (1)	3400	4125	4475	4700	4875	4925	5900	5575	5950
Agricultural Employment	100	100	100	125	125	100	100	100	100
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	575	625	725	775	750	750	850	875	975
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1275	1475	1675	1800	1775	1775	2075	1975	2150
Manufacturing	*	*	*	600	650	600	900	825	900
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	1200	1125	1175	1175	1150	1250

Miller County
(Part of Texarkana Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	12275	12900	13750	13275	14125	14700	15250	15225	15275
Unemployment	1225	975	975	1075	1000	1200	1475	1275	1425
Unemployment Rate	9.2	7.6	7.1	8.1	7.1	8.2	9.7	8.4	9.3
Employment (1)	11150	11925	12775	12200	13125	13500	13775	13950	13850
Agricultural Employment									
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers									
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)									
Manufacturing									
Nonmanufacturing									

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Mississippi County
(Blytheville Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	23725	24850	26525	25975	26525	26425	26275	25975	26125
Unemployment	2325	2125	2400	2050	1950	2625	3050	2775	3125
Unemployment Rate	9.8	8.6	9.0	7.9	7.4	9.9	11.6	10.7	12.0
Employment (1)	21400	22725	24125	23925	24575	23800	23225	23200	23000
Agricultural Employment	2925	2875	2800	3000	2975	2925	2875	2825	2775
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	3275	3350	3675	3700	3675	3475	3300	3475	3650
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	16250	17025	18450	18925	19100	18425	17625	17350	17725
Manufacturing	6025	6800	7550	7750	7925	7300	6900	6800	7325
Nonmanufacturing	10225	10225	10900	11175	11175	11125	10725	10550	10400

Monroe County
(Brinkley Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	4850	5025	5125	4975	5225	5300	5625	5350	4850
Unemployment	450	350	375	350	450	425	650	875	975
Unemployment Rate	9.3	7.0	7.3	7.0	8.6	8.0	11.6	16.4	20.1
Employment (1)	4400	4675	4750	4625	4775	4875	4975	4475	3875
Agricultural Employment	950	925	925	975	975	950	950	925	925
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	775	800	850	850	875	850	850	775	700
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2550	2700	2825	2750	2975	2925	2925	2550	2225
Manufacturing	575	675	*	*	*	*	*	*	225
Nonmanufacturing	1975	2025	*	*	*	*	*	*	2000

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(2) Place-of-work basis.
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Montgomery County
(Mount Ida Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2275	2550	2400	2350	2525	2650	2800	2825	2725
Unemployment	225	250	175	125	200	300	350	375	325
Unemployment Rate	9.9	9.8	7.3	5.3	7.9	11.3	12.5	13.3	11.9
Employment (1)	2050	2300	2225	2225	2325	2350	2450	2450	2400
Agricultural Employment	175	175	175	200	200	175	175	175	175
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	300	325	300	325	325	325	325	350	375
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1125	1225	1200	1250	1300	1325	1350	1325	1350
Manufacturing	500	600	525	525	475	475	375	350	*
Nonmanufacturing	625	625	675	725	825	850	975	975	*

Nevada County
(Prescott Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3525	3850	4200	4300	4425	4275	4250	4100	3950
Unemployment	300	250	225	175	200	325	400	525	475
Unemployment Rate	8.5	6.5	5.4	4.1	4.5	7.6	9.4	12.8	12.0
Employment (1)	3225	3600	3975	4125	4225	3950	3850	3575	3475
Agricultural Employment	350	350	350	375	375	350	350	350	350
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	575	625	725	750	750	700	650	625	650
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	2050	2275	2575	2750	2775	2600	2475	2250	2250
Manufacturing	700	850	950	1025	1025	925	850	675	600
Nonmanufacturing	1350	1425	1625	1725	1750	1675	1625	1575	1650

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(2) Place-of-work basis.
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Newton County
(Jasper Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2200	2250	2300	2425	2425	2550	2250	2350	2300
Unemployment	275	200	200	225	225	300	300	325	275
Unemployment Rate	12.5	8.9	8.7	9.3	9.3	11.8	13.3	13.8	12.0
Employment (1)	1925	2050	2100	2200	2200	2250	1950	2025	2025
Agricultural Employment	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	500	450	500	525	500	500	450	475	500
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	650	650	725	775	750	775	700	700	725
Manufacturing	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Nonmanufacturing	600	600	675	725	700	725	650	650	675

Phillips County
(Helena Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	13050	13125	13425	13175	13800	13550	13575	13025	12725
Unemployment	1400	1400	1375	1150	1725	1475	1475	1650	1875
Unemployment Rate	10.7	10.7	10.2	8.7	12.5	10.9	10.9	12.7	14.7
Employment (1)	11650	11725	12050	12025	12075	12075	12100	11375	10850
Agricultural Employment	1550	1525	1500	1575	1575	1550	1525	1500	1475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1600	1525	1625	1650	1575	1550	1525	1475	1500
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	8525	8400	8775	9000	8850	8850	8700	8025	7825
Manufacturing	2500	2475	2500	2500	2175	2025	2025	1700	1650
Nonmanufacturing	6025	5925	6275	6500	6675	6825	6675	6325	6175

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Pike County
(Murfreesboro Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3450	3575	3925	4125	4350	4175	4300	4050	4050
Unemployment	350	250	200	225	200	300	400	525	475
Unemployment Rate	10.1	7.0	5.1	5.5	4.6	7.2	9.3	13.0	11.7
Employment (1)	3100	3325	3725	3900	4150	3875	3900	3525	3575
Agricultural Employment	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	475	475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	550	600	675	725	750	675	675	650	700
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1750	1900	2175	2350	2475	2325	2275	2025	2125
Manufacturing	650	700	900	900	925	850	900	650	625
Nonmanufacturing	1100	1200	1275	1450	1550	1475	1375	1375	1500

Poinsett County
(Trumann Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	10250	9950	10250	10650	11325	11625	11350	10700	10300
Unemployment	1400	925	800	825	850	1150	1850	1500	1575
Unemployment Rate	13.7	9.3	7.8	7.7	7.5	9.9	16.3	14.0	15.3
Employment (1)	8850	9025	9450	9825	10475	10475	9500	9200	8725
Agricultural Employment	1950	1925	1900	2000	1950	1950	1925	1900	1850
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1000	975	1075	1150	1175	1225	1075	1075	1075
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	5600	5600	6075	6525	6875	6825	5975	5650	5525
Manufacturing	2575	2525	2550	2875	3300	3325	2575	2425	2350
Nonmanufacturing	3025	3075	3525	3650	3575	3500	3400	3225	3175

(1) Adjusted to a place-of-residence basis.
(2) Place-of-work basis.

Polk County
(Mena Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	5125	5300	5850	5850	5750	5775	6100	5825	5925
Unemployment	600	525	475	450	375	450	650	650	875
Unemployment Rate	11.7	9.9	8.1	7.7	6.5	7.8	10.7	11.2	14.8
Employment (1)	4525	4775	5375	5400	5375	5325	5450	5175	5050
Agricultural Employment	500	475	475	500	500	500	475	475	475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	825	825	975	1000	950	925	925	900	950
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3500	3650	4200	4375	4225	4225	4225	3950	3950
Manufacturing	1525	1500	1825	1850	1800	1775	1700	1525	1475
Nonmanufacturing	1975	2150	2375	2525	2425	2450	2525	2425	2475

Prairie County
(Des Arc Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3550	3600	3525	3375	3450	3400	3600	3525	3700
Unemployment	300	225	275	250	375	300	475	450	550
Unemployment Rate	8.5	6.3	7.8	7.4	10.9	8.8	13.2	12.8	14.9
Employment (1)	3250	3375	3250	3125	3075	3100	3125	3075	3150
Agricultural Employment	1225	1225	1200	1275	1250	1225	1225	1200	1175
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	400	400	400	400	325	350	350	375	400
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1450	1525	1500	1475	1375	1400	1400	1325	1450
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Randolph County
(Pocahontas Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	6725	6800	7475	7450	7475	7375	7225	7025	7050
Unemployment	925	675	700	625	600	900	925	950	950
Unemployment Rate	13.8	9.9	9.4	8.4	8.0	12.2	12.8	13.5	13.5
Employment (1)	5800	6125	6775	6825	6875	6475	6300	6075	6100
Agricultural Employment	650	650	625	675	675	650	650	625	625
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1150	1175	1325	1375	1325	1225	1150	1150	1250
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3675	3850	4325	4525	4475	4175	3975	3775	3900
Manufacturing	2025	2150	2400	2450	2325	2025	1950	1800	1850
Nonmanufacturing	1650	1700	1925	2075	2150	2150	2025	1975	2050

St. Francis County
(Forrest City Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	11175	11375	12150	12250	12500	13125	13300	13075	13075
Unemployment	1400	1275	1325	1225	1550	1400	1850	2050	2225
Unemployment Rate	12.5	11.2	10.9	10.0	12.4	10.7	13.9	15.7	17.0
Employment (1)	9775	10100	10825	11025	10950	11725	11450	11025	10850
Agricultural Employment	1450	1425	1425	1500	1475	1450	1425	1400	1375
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	1525	1500	1675	1725	1650	1750	1700	1700	1750
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	7950	8100	8875	9350	8875	9775	9550	8850	9000
Manufacturing	2975	3000	3325	3550	3200	4025	4000	3450	3325
Nonmanufacturing	4975	5100	5550	5800	5675	5750	5550	5400	5675

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(2) Place-of-work basis.

Scott County
(Waldron Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2800	2875	3150	3000	3200	3300	3375	3300	3250
Unemployment	425	300	275	250	275	325	375	375	300
Unemployment Rate	15.2	10.4	8.7	8.3	8.6	9.8	11.1	11.4	9.2
Employment (1)	2375	2575	2875	2750	2925	2975	3000	2925	2950
Agricultural Employment	200	200	200	225	225	225	200	200	200
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	475	500	550	550	575	575	575	575	600
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1400	1500	1650	1700	1775	1800	1800	1700	1750
Manufacturing	625	675	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	775	825	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Searcy County
(Marshall Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2775	2725	2800	2600	2600	2725	2850	2925	3050
Unemployment	375	200	275	275	250	275	375	350	450
Unemployment Rate	13.5	7.3	9.8	10.6	9.6	10.1	13.2	12.0	14.8
Employment (1)	2400	2525	2525	2325	2350	2450	2475	2575	2600
Agricultural Employment	225	225	225	225	225	225	225	225	200
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	375	400	425	400	375	400	400	425	450
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1225	1325	1350	1300	1275	1350	1325	1350	1400
Manufacturing	575	650	625	525	500	500	550	600	600
Nonmanufacturing	650	675	725	775	775	850	775	750	800

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Sevier County
(DeQueen Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	5350	5500	5775	5750	5850	6025	6200	6150	6425
Unemployment	400	425	375	300	350	400	525	625	575
Unemployment Rate	7.5	7.7	6.5	5.2	6.0	6.6	8.5	10.2	8.9
Employment (1)	4950	5075	5400	5450	5500	5625	5675	5525	5850
Agricultural Employment	300	275	300	300	300	300	300	300	275
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	700	700	750	775	750	750	750	750	850
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	3275	3225	3575	3700	3675	3750	3725	3575	3900
Manufacturing	1350	1275	1375	1350	1300	1400	1350	1200	1350
Nonmanufacturing	1925	1950	2200	2350	2375	2350	2375	2375	2550

Sharp County
(Hardy Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3275	3375	3925	3875	3975	4300	4325	4350	4450
Unemployment	525	375	450	300	325	450	550	500	550
Unemployment Rate	16.0	11.1	11.5	7.7	8.2	10.5	12.7	11.5	12.4
Employment (1)	2750	3000	3475	3575	3650	3850	3775	3850	3900
Agricultural Employment	500	475	475	500	500	475	475	475	475
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	525	550	675	725	700	750	700	775	825
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1250	1375	1675	1775	1800	1900	1850	1850	1950
Manufacturing	50	75	75	75	75	100	100	75	125
Nonmanufacturing	1200	1300	1600	1700	1725	1800	1750	1775	1825

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Stone County
(Mountain View Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	2775	2975	3300	3025	3300	3325	3500	3475	3575
Unemployment	275	175	225	225	275	275	375	325	375
Unemployment Rate	9.9	5.9	6.8	7.4	8.3	8.3	10.7	9.4	10.5
Employment (1)	2500	2800	3075	2800	3025	3050	3125	3150	3200
Agricultural Employment	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	300
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	475	525	600	550	575	575	575	625	675
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1200	1325	1500	1400	1500	1525	1525	1525	1575
Manufacturing	300	*	*	275	300	325	300	325	325
Nonmanufacturing	900	*	*	1125	1200	1200	1225	1200	1250

Union County
(El Dorado Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	19375	20375	21825	21900	23200	22700	23875	23775	23575
Unemployment	1600	1300	1200	1025	1050	1275	1275	1675	2050
Unemployment Rate	8.3	6.4	5.5	4.7	4.5	5.6	5.3	7.0	8.7
Employment (1)	17775	19075	20625	20875	22150	21425	22600	22100	21525
Agricultural Employment	375	375	375	400	375	375	375	375	350
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	2700	2775	3075	3175	3250	3075	3175	3250	3375
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	14875	15625	17125	17975	18675	18000	18675	18025	18050
Manufacturing	4250	4675	5325	5700	5925	5500	5900	5400	5425
Nonmanufacturing	10625	10950	11800	12275	12750	12500	12775	12625	12625

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Van Buren County
(Clinton Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3200	3425	3725	3875	3800	3975	4200	4000	3975
Unemployment	500	375	350	350	350	450	550	475	475
Unemployment Rate	15.6	10.9	9.4	9.0	9.2	11.3	13.1	11.9	11.9
Employment (1)	2700	3050	3375	3525	3450	3525	3650	3525	3500
Agricultural Employment	275	275	275	300	275	275	275	275	250
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	425	475	525	575	500	525	550	550	600
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1550	1700	1950	2100	1925	2025	2125	2025	2075
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

White County
(Searcy Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	18225	18600	20025	20100	21350	21825	23050	22875	23050
Unemployment	3200	2475	2250	1600	1850	2500	2725	2950	3200
Unemployment Rate	17.6	13.3	11.2	8.0	8.7	11.5	11.8	12.9	13.9
Employment (1)	15025	16125	17775	18500	19500	19325	20325	19925	19850
Agricultural Employment	1725	1675	1675	1775	1750	1725	1700	1675	1625
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	2000	2050	2350	2500	2525	2475	2550	2625	2800
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	9575	10125	11425	12325	12750	12675	13150	12750	13100
Manufacturing	2600	2900	3375	3600	3550	3275	3600	3275	3450
Nonmanufacturing	6975	7225	8050	8725	9200	9400	9550	9475	9650

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Woodruff County
(Augusta Labor Area)

Item	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Total Civilian Labor Force	3600	3975	4600	4425	4525	4375	4550	4475	4550
Unemployment	400	275	350	375	350	375	525	625	1000
Unemployment Rate	11.1	6.9	7.6	8.5	7.7	8.6	11.5	14.0	22.0
Employment (1)	3200	3700	4250	4050	4175	4000	4025	3850	3550
Agricultural Employment	1050	1025	1025	1075	1050	1050	1025	1000	1000
Domestic Service, Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	500	600	750	700	700	650	650	625	600
Nonagricultural Wage & Salary Employment (2)	1875	2250	2775	2675	2725	2550	2525	2350	2175
Manufacturing	625	1000	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonmanufacturing	1250	1250	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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